## Villages without elected Panchayats

†2484. SHRI JAI PARKASH AGGARWAL: Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ be pleased to state:

- (a)the number of villages which do not have elected Panchayat as on date State-wise,
- (b)whether it has been contemplated in the Tenth Finance Commission Report that the funds for the development of Panchayati Raj have to be provided to the elected Panchayats only; and
- (c)if so, details of the funds allotted/released to Panchayats each year during the last three years till date State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF PANCHAYATI RAJ (SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR): (a) There are 233669 Gram Panchayats all over India except for the areas, which fall under the 6th Schedule of the Constitution. Each of the Gram Panchayat comprises one or more than one village. All Gram Panchayats have elected representatives.

- (b) Yes Sir
- (c) The details of funds allotted and released is given in the enclosed Statement.

Statement
The details of funds allotted and released to Panchayats

11th Finance Co		12th Finance Commission				
SI. State No.	Allocation (2000- 05)	Released to State Government	Released to PRIs by State Govt	Allocatio n	Amount Released (2005-06)	Amont Released (2006-07" till 05 12.2006)
1 2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1. Andhra Pr. 2. Arunachal Pr. 3. Assam 4. Bihar 5. Chhattisgarh	2784.25 23344.75 54375	68421.73 1948.97 11672.37 43500 21001.95	79434 03 IA 2334 46933.13 22400.2	158700 6800 52600 162400 61500	31740 680 5260 32480 12300	15870 0 0 16240 6150

<sup>†</sup>Original notice of the question was received in Hindi

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
6	Goa	927.25	463.63	IA	1800	180	0
7.	Gujarat	34804.35	34804.35	42440.53	93100	18620	9310
8	Haryana	14708.75	14708.75	14708.75	38800	7760	3880
9	Himachal	6566.9	5925 29	779392	14700	2940	1470
10	J&K	7440.7	1488.14	IA	28100	1762	1762
11	Jharkhand	24128.8	0	IA	48200	0	0
12	Karnataka	39411 75	<ul> <li>31529</li> </ul>	19705	88800	17760	8880
13	Kerala	32962.9	329629	34547.82	98500	19700	9850
14	Madhya Pd	50545	454905	97652.84	166300	33260	16630
15	Maharashtra	65672.9	5910561	82000	198300	39660	19830
16	Manipur	1877.15	938.57	596.58	4600	0	0
17	Meghalaya	2560.8	2048 64	628	5000	500	0
18	Mizoram	785.55	785.55	88372	2000	400	200
19	Nagaland	1286.65	643.33	IA	4000	800	0
20	Orissa	345588	34558.8	43180.86	80300	16060	8030
21	Punjab	15463.55	12180.75	2037 35	32400	3240	0
22	Rajasthan	49094.8	490948	59719.58	123000	24600	12300
23	Sikkim	529.25	423.4	307.62	1300	130	0
24	Tamilnadu	46611.8	44016.2	52435.28	87000	17400	8700
25	Tripura	2845.95	2276.76	2139.57	5700	570	0
26	UP.	116713.35	93370.67	78581.85	292800	58560	29280
27	Uttaranchal	15200	12160	10812.51	16200	3240	1620
28	West Bengal	57772.95	3466377	35272.97	127100	25420	12710
	TOTAL:	800000	660184.43	736546.11	2000000	375022	182712

## **Reviewing the functioning of local self Government Institutions**

2485. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL: Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government have so far reviewed or assessed the functioning of Local Self Government Institutions in the country during the last three years, till date;
  - (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (c) what measures Government propose to take to strengthen these institutions on the basis of such review undertaken?

THE MINISTER OF PANCHAYATI RAJ (SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (c) The three-Volume "State of the Panchayats—A Mid Term Review and Appraisal" running to over 1600 pages has been placed on the Table of the House. A brief summary is outlined below: